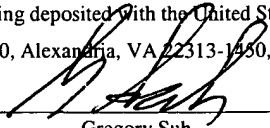




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In complete response to the Office Action dated 1/26/2005, attached please find:

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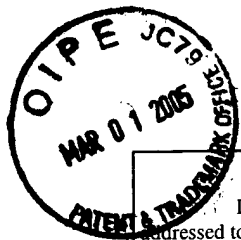
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